

CELANESE CORP Reported by SHAW CURTIS S

FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *				2. 1	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)					
SHAW CUI	RTIS S			Ce	elan	iese CO	ORP	CF	E]								
(Last) (First) (Middle)				3. 1	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (MM/DD/YYYY)								Director10% Owner				
												10	X _ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) EVP, Gen. Coun. and Corp. Sec.				
C/O CELANESE					10/10/2005							E	VP, Gen. Co	oun. and	Corp. Sec.		
CORPORA FREEWAY		601 W. L	BJ														
	(Str	reet)		4.]	lf Aı	mendmer	nt, Date	Ori	ginal F	iled (MM/I	DD/YYYY	7) 6.	. Individual o	or Joint/G	roup Filing	(Check Appl	icable Line)
DALLAS, TX 75234											=	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
((City) (St	tate) (Zij	p)												1 0		
			Table I -	Non-Der	ivat	tive Secu	rities A	Acqu	ıired, I	Disposed	of, or B	enef	icially Owne	ed			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans. E				Exec		3. Trans. (Instr. 8)	str. 8)		4. Securities Acqu or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Follo	str. 3 and 4) Form:			Ownership	Beneficial	
							Code	,	V Amo	ount (A) o	r Price					or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Tak	ole II - Deri	ivative Sec	curities l	Bene	eficially	Owned	(e.g	g., put	s, calls, v	varrant	s, op	tions, conve	rtible sec	urities)		
1. Title of Derivate Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Trans. Date	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	d 4. Trans. Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)					7. Title and Amo Securities Under Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		lerlying curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned	Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
	Security			Code	v	(A)	(D	Da Ex	nte ercisable	Expiration Date	Title		Amount or Number of Shares		Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$16.825	10/10/2005		A		126000			<u>(1)</u>	10/10/2015	Serie Comr Stoc	non	126000	<u>(1)</u>	126000	D	
Non-qualified Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$16.825	10/10/2005		A		189000			<u>(2)</u>	10/10/2015	Serie Comr Stoc	non	189000	(2)	315000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Granted pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The option shares will vest, subject to continued employment, with respect to 20% on each of December 31, 2005, December 31, 2006, December 31, 2007, December 31, 2008 and March 31, 2009.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the Company's 2004 Stock Incentive Plan. The option shares will vest, subject to continued employment and achievement of certain performance targets, with respect to 30% of the options shares on December 31, 2005, with respect 30% of the option shares on December 31, 2006, with respect to 15% of the option shares on December 31, 2007, and with respect to 25% of option shares on December 31, 2008.

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
SHAW CURTIS S C/O CELANESE CORPORATION 1601 W. LBJ FREEWAY DALLAS, TX 75234			EVP, Gen. Coun. and Corp. Sec.				

Signatures

/s/ Curtis S. Shaw	10/11/2005			
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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